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Sir:

Enclosed herewith for filing is a patent application of Shree K. Nayar and Tomoo Mitsunaga entitled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OBTAINING HIGH DYNAMIC RANGE IMAGES

which includes:

☒ Specification 82 Total Pages
☒ Claims 96 Total Pages
☒ Abstract 1 Total Pages
☒ Drawing(s) 45 Total Sheets
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[X] is attached. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.

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| Total Claims | 189 | -20 | = | 169 | x \$9 = | | | x \$18 = | \$3,042 |
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Enclosures

| Case | Age | Sex | Duration | Location | Findings | Comments |
|------|-----|-----|-----------|-----------|-------------------------------|----------|
| 1 | 10 | M | 10 days | Left eye | Small, dark, pigmented lesion | Benign |
| 2 | 15 | F | 2 weeks | Right eye | Large, white, fibrous lesion | Benign |
| 3 | 20 | M | 3 months | Left eye | Small, dark, pigmented lesion | Benign |
| 4 | 25 | F | 1 year | Right eye | Large, white, fibrous lesion | Benign |
| 5 | 30 | M | 6 months | Left eye | Small, dark, pigmented lesion | Benign |
| 6 | 35 | F | 1 year | Right eye | Large, white, fibrous lesion | Benign |
| 7 | 40 | M | 18 months | Left eye | Small, dark, pigmented lesion | Benign |
| 8 | 45 | F | 2 years | Right eye | Large, white, fibrous lesion | Benign |
| 9 | 50 | M | 3 years | Left eye | Small, dark, pigmented lesion | Benign |
| 10 | 55 | F | 4 years | Right eye | Large, white, fibrous lesion | Benign |
| 11 | 60 | M | 5 years | Left eye | Small, dark, pigmented lesion | Benign |
| 12 | 65 | F | 6 years | Right eye | Large, white, fibrous lesion | Benign |
| 13 | 70 | M | 7 years | Left eye | Small, dark, pigmented lesion | Benign |
| 14 | 75 | F | 8 years | Right eye | Large, white, fibrous lesion | Benign |
| 15 | 80 | M | 9 years | Left eye | Small, dark, pigmented lesion | Benign |
| 16 | 85 | F | 10 years | Right eye | Large, white, fibrous lesion | Benign |
| 17 | 90 | M | 11 years | Left eye | Small, dark, pigmented lesion | Benign |
| 18 | 95 | F | 12 years | Right eye | Large, white, fibrous lesion | Benign |
| 19 | 100 | M | 13 years | Left eye | Small, dark, pigmented lesion | Benign |
| 20 | 105 | F | 14 years | Right eye | Large, white, fibrous lesion | Benign |